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Greetings 1956

Greetings to all our iris friends scattered all over these United States! As we write this the iris are awakening from their winter sleep to bring us another gorgeous rainbow of colors. We believe you will find what you want in the pages of this catalog, and that our prices are reasonable.

We have again added many of the newer varieties to our list this year, and we almost regret that many of the older kinds must make way for them. We are located just a mile south of Hutchinson on Highway 17. Our blooming season reaches its peak about May 15, and we believe you will find our iris (2 acres) and peony (4 acres) gardens worth including in a tour of Kansas gardens. Our soil grows good roots and we insist that our customers are satisfied or we make adjustments.

Happy gardening to you! We offer this list as one garden lover to another, knowing that you will find, as we have, the peace and relaxation that comes from adding new beauty to your garden and home.

ACCREDITED JUDGE OF AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY

CULTURE

It is a mistake to assume that because iris are extremely hardy that they will not respond to a careful cultural plan. Above all, iris must have full sun and good drainage—given such conditions many of your iris troubles will be averted. Keep all dead leaves and litter removed—these breed disease. Iris will thrive in any ordinary garden soil. A good plan for the fertilizing of iris is to apply gypsum or lime in the spring, superphosphate after blooming, and a feeding of bone-meal in the fall. Larger blooms and more vigorous plants will be your reward.

GUARANTEE

All our stock is state inspected and we guarantee to supply clean, healthy roots, true to name. Adjustment will be made wherever any dissatisfaction occurs.

TERMS

Cash with all orders to be shipped. Orders called for may be paid at that time. **ON SHIPPING ORDERS LESS THAN \$3.50 ADD 50c TO COVER PACKING AND POSTAGE.** Orders will be filled from July 1st to September 15th.

BARGAINS AND DISCOUNTS PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

For an order \$5.00 to \$10.00 you may add additional iris as follows:

SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING GROUPS:

1. Eight iris, labeled, our choice from the last page of this catalog "Standard older varieties."
2. Or, six iris, your selection from the last page of this catalog "Standard older varieties."
3. Or you may add \$2.00 of additional iris from anywhere in this catalog.

For an order \$10.00 to \$20.00 you may add additional iris as follows:

SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING GROUPS:

1. Twelve iris, labeled, our selection, from the last page of this catalog "Standard older varieties."
2. Or ten iris, your selection from the last page of this catalog "Standard older varieties."
3. Or \$3.50 more iris from anywhere in the catalog.

For an order above \$20.00 add 40% more iris value. Example: For a \$20.00 order select \$28.00 of iris.

EARLY ORDER BONUS

If you place any \$5.00 order or more by June 15th you may select extra any one iris in this catalog valued at 60c or 75c.

English Iris Garden List for 1956

Ace High—Very large bright yellow.....	\$.40
Admiral Nimitz—Excellent new white .....	.60
Afar—Lovely orange sherbet-toned pink .....	.60
Aladdin's Wish—Large blue cream blushed .....	.60
Alastor—Deep cyclamen pink .....	.60
Al Borak—Large new brown and copper russet.....	9.00
Aldura—Beautifully formed white plicata.....	.60
Ali Baba—Large deep garnet brown.....	6.00
Alline Rogers—Ashes of roses pink-rose	2.25
Altar Light—Flaring, ruffled flower in pastel colors....	15.00
Amazon Tan—Beautiful flaring golden tan	2.25
Amandine—Delightfully ruffled cream-lemon.....	.75
Amber Gem—Large glowing rose-amber.....	.60
Amigo—Popular lavender-violet bi-color .....	.40
Amulette—Orange flushed violet and blue.....	2.25
Apricot Glory—Smooth apricot pink	6.00
Apricot Supreme—Tall well branched apricot	4.50
Arab Chief—Rich burnt orange .....	.60
Artic—Gold-threaded creamy white .....	.40
Argus Pheasant—Bright golden brown. Dykes Medal 1952	1.50
Atrous—Velvety black .....	.60
Aubanel—Beautiful pink blend .....	.50
Auburn—Coppery henna-brown. Quite different.....	1.00
Augusta—Large, lovely ruffled blend .....	.75
Autumn Brown—Flaring coppery brown	12.00
Autumn Hues—Blue yellow and orange done in ruffles	6.00
Aztec Copper—Blend of smoky violet-copper .....	.50
Azure Skies—Fluffy ruffled bright blue .....	.60
Ballerina—New ruffled flamingo pink	\$ 3.00
Ballet Dancer—Exciting new ruffled apricot-tan.....	1.50
Balmung—Good standard yellow-red plicata .....	.60
Barbara Luddy—Large shell pink flushed cream.....	1.50
Barrimohr—Rich mulberry purple. Wm. Mohr seedling	.60
Bay State—New fragrant glistening light blue.....	.90
Belle Amie—Ruffled white flushed yellow. Very fine...	1.00
Bellerive—Beautiful light creamy yellow .....	.90
Berkley Gold—Large deep yellow. Excellent.....	.60
Big Time—Impressive large new red	3.00
Black and Gold—Striking new variegata .....	.60
Black Banner—Stunning velvety black .....	.60
Black Castle—Really jet black!	9.00
Black Belle—Black velvet with silken sheen.....	2.00
Black Diamond—Large beautifully formed black purple	3.00
Black Forest—Outstanding silky blue-black.....	1.00
Black Hills—New tall real black.....	6.00
Black Ruby—Early velvety crimson black.....	.75
Black Satin—Outstanding new black self	6.00
Blizzard—Gorgeous new frilled & ruffled white.....	2.00
Blue Blazes—New tall clean smooth blue.....	2.00
Blue Elegance—Beautiful Onco hybrid blue.....	1.00
Blue Ensign—Dykes Medal winning blue from England	1.50
Blue Glow—Dark velvety blue with brown haft.....	.50
Blue Parakeet—Unusual and stunning chicory blue....	2.00
Blue Rhythm—A fine blue. Dykes Medal winner .....	.60
Blue Ruffles—Novel 1954 introduction	4.50
Blue Sapphire—Large charming ruffled blue	7.50
Blue Shimmer—White ground dotted blue plicata.....	.60
Blumohr—Stunning medium blue onco-bred	3.00
Blue Valley—Gorgeous ruffled sparkling blue.....	.90
Bold Copper—Ruffled tan-brown blend	2.25
Bonnie Dundee—Lovely lavender orchid	6.00
Bright Hour—New white and purple amoena.....	7.50
Bright Lights—Novel yellow-white plicata .....	.60
Bright Song—Ruffled raspberry pink. Brand new.....	1.50
Bronze Brocade—Lustrous blend of copper red & brown	1.00
Brown Thrasher—Popular coppery golden brown .....	.60
Bryce Canyon—Colorful blend of henna-copper shades..	.75
Buffawn—Beautiful gold and tan blend .....	.50
Burgandy Rose—Novel ruffled amethyst rose .....	.75

Great Lakes—Excellent blue. Dykes Medal winner....	.60
Gypsy—Coppery standards and chestnut brown falls...	.60
Gypsy Baron—A nice blue-purple plicata .....	.60
Gypsy Classic—Flaring brown with henna overlay.....	3.00
Hallmark—Smooth ruffled golden apricot	\$20.00
Happy Birthday—Very large light flamingo pink	6.00
Harlequin — Novel plicata with silver falls & choc. veins	1.50
Harriet Thoreau—Delightful orchid pink .....	.60
Hearts Desire—New brilliant rose-red	1.00
Heather Rose—Lovely orchid pink like Scotch heather..	1.00
Heigho—Immense violet Oncocyclus hybrid	3.00
Helen Collingwood—A beautiful new neglecta from "Extravaganza"	4.50
Helen Louise—A large rich salmon pink	6.00
Helen McGregor—Beautiful pale blue. Dykes Medal winner	.90
Helen McKenzie—A gorgeous new white. A winner	3.00
Heritage—A ruffled deep-toned pink	2.00
Hi-Time—A lustrous golden apricot or peach-pink.....	1.00
Hit Parade—A ruffled flamingo pink .....	.75
Honor Bright—Sensational yellow with gold and orange overlay	2.25
Hoosier Sunrise—Lovely pink blend .....	.40
Hurricane—Exotic hybrid in mixture of blue shades....	3.00
Illinois—Beautiful creamy yellow self	\$.75
Inca Chief—Huge burnished golden bronze	7.50
Indiana Night—Outstanding tall blue-black .....	.75
Inspiration—A huge mulberry pink .....	.75
Interlude—New blend of russet red and blue.....	1.00
Intermezzo—Ruffled petunia violet brushed brown ....	.60
Irish Charm—Ruffled sky blue over white ground	4.50
Ivory Petal—New cream buff overcast blue	3.00
Ivory Supreme—Fine large cream	9.00
Jake—This will surprise you! Fine old white	\$.50
Jane Phillips—Brand new beauty in clear deep blue	1.50
Java Jewell—Smooth bright iridescent gold	3.00
Jericho—Gigantic orange yellow	3.00
Jonquil—A two-toned yellow. Favorite of ours .....	.50
Juliet—Lovely blend of copper, salmon and orange ....	.75
June Bride—Large flaring deep apricot pink	5.00
June Sunlight—Large flaring yellow	7.50
Katherine Fay—Large, beautiful ruffled white	\$.50
King's Jester—Cream veined purplish brown plicata....	1.00
Lady Albright—Brilliant blend of gold and blue.....	\$ 3.00
Lady Boscawen—Large pure ruffled white .....	.75
Lady Dozier—Violet blue Ormohr seedling	9.00
Lady Louise—Distinctive ruffled buff and white.....	1.00
Lady Mohr—Sensational oyster-white and greenish-yellow hybrid .....	.60
Lady Naomi—Huge blue-white plicata .....	.50
Lake Breeze—A large ruffled blue .....	.75
Lake Shannon—Large clear blue .....	.50
Lady of Shalot—Lovely frilled rose-pink plicata .....	.50
Lavanesque—Classic new orchid pink	9.00
Laurel Hill—Rosy-lavender Wm. Mohr seedling	1.50
Leading Lady—Yellow standards, falls white and edged yellow	1.50
Lights On—A might fine red .....	.75
Lilac Lane—Superb lilac self with tint of pearl ....	.90
Limelight—Novel lace-like flower in greenish yellow ..	6.00
Lindora—Lovely deep yellow bordered white	1.50
Loomis S. Q. 72—Now a well-known pink. Parent of "Pink Formal" .....	.50
Lord Dongan—Beautiful deep violet .....	.50
Lothario—Taller, better "Amigo" .....	.75
Lottie Lembrich—Large lilac with tangerine beard	3.00
Louise Blake—Pale blue standards and purple falls....	.50
Lovelace—Ruffled pink and white plicata.....	1.50
Love Story—THIS IS IT! Lovely flamingo pink. Order early	2.25

Lullaby—We like this. Luscious apple-blossom pink	.50
Lynn Langford—Attractive orchid with gold center	.90
Magic Carpet—A buff, cinnamon and rose plicata	\$.60
Majenica—Lovely self or salmon pink tones	.60
Malay—Lovely bright ginger brown self	3.00
Mary Vernon—Gold flushed ruby-edged gold	.60
Marquita—Cream and watermelon rose	.50
Mary Randall—Rich deep orchid	18.00
Matterhorn—A wonderfully tailored pure white	.50
Masked Ball—Most unusual purple-white plicata	2.50
Mattie Gates—Limpid cool yellow and white heart	1.00
Maytime—New and different!	
Orchid-pink amoena. Scarce	3.00
Maxwelton—Lovely tan-gold blend	2.25
Mayan Gold—Most ruffled golden yellow of all	3.00
May Hall—Mr. Hall's best pink to date	25.00
Medicine Man—Sturdy rich golden brown	4.50
Melody Lane—Bright glistening golden apricot	1.50
Melodist—Blend of burnished henna-gold apricot	.75
Mellowglow—Beautiful blend of peach and apricot	.90
Memories—Excellent new carrot red	7.50
Memphis Belle—Lovely new tall orchid pink	6.00
Mexican Fiesta—Orange-yellow and orange-red variegata	1.50
Mexican Magic—Blend of red blue and copper	1.50
Mexico—Immense blend of buff and red-brown	.60
Ming Yellow—Still a good large yellow	.50
Minnie Colquitt—Dependable and beautiful white-purple plicata	.75
Minuet—Ruffled blend of gold and lavender blue	3.00
Midwest Gold—Sass' newest deep yellow	3.00
Misty Gold—Beautiful gold-lemon in color	.60
Moonlight Madonna—A beautiful lemon yellow	.60
Mohresque—Oddly colored yellowish-buff flecked purple	1.50
Moonlight Sonata—Graceful flower in lemon yellow	1.00
Morning Bright—Lovely creamy buff bi-tone	5.00
Morning Melody—A soft, charming orchid-lavender self	1.50
Morocco Rose—Very large rose-pink	.60
Mulberry Rose—Excellent deep pink mulberry	.60
Mystic Melody—Different! Cream standards and yellow falls	2.25
Nebraska Sunset—Brilliant blend of sienna and brown	\$ 4.50
New Era—Fanciful mixture of white, yellow and green	.90
New Hope—A new ruffled white and violet-blue plicata	2.00
New Snow—Popular ruffled white	1.00
New Horizon—Peach pink with tangerine beard	1.00
Nightfall—Velvety rich black pansy purple	.50
Norah—Luscious apple blossom pink on creamy white	3.00
Northwestern—A topnotch self of royal purple	10.00
Nylon—A rosy tan blend	.50
Ola Kala—Well known Dykes Medal Yellow	\$.50
Old Parchment—Cream tan with golden buff overlay	.60
Orange Gem—Lovely ruffled orange yellow	1.00
Orangeman—Smooth brilliant deep orange yellow	.75
Orchid Mist—Bright lavender pink self	1.00
Orelia—A lively rich brown red	.90
Oriental Bazaar—Lovely blend of golden amber flushed orange red and lavender	1.00
Ormohr—Large lilac silvery cast veiled violet	.50
Pacemaker—Here is a top-rated red	\$ 2.00
Pagan Gold—Rich velvety gleaming gold	4.50
Pagan Princess—A new deep pink with tangerine beard	1.00
Pagan Royal—New glowing red-violet	4.50
Painted Desert—Gorgeous blend of colors of the desert	.50
Palomino—Sensational new pale ivory copper	7.50
Paradise Pink—Ruffled, clear, and pink. No other markings	1.50
Paragon—Pearly tints margined in coppery buff	1.50
Party Dress—A charming ruffled pink personality	4.50
Pastella—Extra large lavender rose	7.50
Pathfinder—A new and lovely wide rose-pink	1.50

Patrice—Light cream plicata flushed rosy lavender....	.60
Peachblow—Pink plicata with yellow flush50
Peg Dabagh—Onco hybrid-clear violet blue90
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Pink Plume—Charming light orchid pink	2.25
Pink Reflection—Shade of chamois skin pink50
Pink Ruffles—Charming intermediate pink.....	.60
Pink Sails—Well branched dark pink self	1.00
Pink Talcum—Nicely formed perky pink90
Pink Sensation—Sturdy flamingo pink. A winner	2.00
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Placerita—Glowing tan sprinkled with gold dust.....	4.50
Plum Pretty—Attractive flower of dusty blue	1.50
Porcelain Blue—A lovely new blue by Sass	2.00
Port Wine—Striking white plicata bordered purple....	3.00
Prairie Jewel—Shell pink standards with red falls.....	12.00
Prairie Sunset—Blend of rose, gold, apricot and orange. Dykes Medal .....	.60
Premier Peach—Deep orange with tangerine beard ....	.90
Pretender—Something new! Yellow standards with blue falls	9.00
Pretty Pansy—A lovely fanciful purple and white	1.00
Pretty Quadroon—Smooth wide metallic copper-brown	6.00
Prince of Orange—There is nothing more orange than this	.60
Prospector—Lovely new flaring yellow	1.00
Purissamohr—Sensational onco-hybrid in pure white...	3.00
Purple Mohr—Large dark purple self	1.00
Quechee—Rich garnet red with satiny finish.....	\$ 4.50
Queen's Taste—New Amoena with lavender pink stand- ards and broad reddish falls	9.00
Radiation—Perfectly beautiful glistening orchid pink	\$ 3.00
Rainbow Room—Contains all the colors of the rainbow	1.00
Rajah Brook—Variegata of topaz and blood-red .....	.60
Ranger—Brilliant new crimson red .....	.90
Raspberry Ribbon—Ruffled plicata in white and violet..	3.00
Red Amber—Blend of pink-rose with flush of copper....	.50
Red Chieftan—A beautiful new red from Sass.....	20.00
Red Gleam—One of the reddest of all .....	.50
Red Majesty—Deep rose-red with yellow center	1.00
Red Torch—Bronze-gold standards with real red falls ..	.60
Red Valor—A very large garnet red60
Red Waves—Parent of 'Pacemaker' and really red ...	1.00
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Ripples—Rippled wavy lilac-olive yellow blend ...	3.00
Rocket—The much talked of deep chrome and orange	.75
Rodeo—Standards gold, falls white with gold edges ...	.90
Rose Barone—Dainty flower of ivory and pink	2.25
Rosabella—Deep rose-red suffused with metallic copper	1.50
Rose Ames—Lovely flower of lemon white and lavender blue	1.50
Rosedale—Ruffled salmon pink	4.50
Rose Splendor—Coppery rose of deep pink effect .....	.90
Rose Top—Large creamy-white pink plicata .....	.75
Royal Scott—A red trim plicata .....	.60
Royal Sovereign—A deeper more intense yellow than Ola Kala	2.00

Royal Wish —Entirely different! Blend of tan, rose, gold, yellow and pink	2.25
Rubient —This is a dandy deep red blackish purple.....	.60
Ruffled Bouquet —Frilled and ruffled cream	2.25
Ruffled Elegance —Large prize winning rosy violet blend	15.00
Ruffled Organdy —A ruffled cream with petals edged buff	7.50
Russet Wings —Smoothly blended gold, copper & apricot .....	.90
Ruth —A breath-taking ruffled flower in two tone yellow	1.50
Sable Night —Sensational new black iris.....	\$25.00
Sable —To us this is the most dependable black purple .....	.50
Safari —New plicata of warm brown cream and tan.....	6.00
Salar —Large opalescent cream with overlay of salmon .....	.50
Salamonie —Pleasing shade of salmon or silvery pink..	.60
Saluskin —Lovely shade of salmon pink with yellow tones .....	.75
San Antone —Deep ruddy brown self. A lovely iris indeed! .....	.90
Sarah Goodloe —Fine tailored iris in black-maroon.....	3.00
Sea Lark —Large violet blue flushed purple.....	.60
Seashell —Dainty sea-shell pink .....	.50
Sharkskin —A velvety pure white .....	.50
Show Girl —A self of blush rose with orange beard.....	.60
Sikhmoir —Outstanding onco in red tones	12.00
Sky Above —One of the bluest blues	4.50
Sky Chief —A silver edged blue	1.00
Sky Crystal —Pale blue to blue white	20.00
Sky Ranger —Large, stately ruffled medium blue.....	.90
Snow Carnival —Flaring ruffled pure white .....	.60
Snow Flurry —Lovely pure icy white with hint of light blue .....	.75
Sno Sheen —A topnotch new white self	1.50
Snow Velvet —Velvety white with golden throat .....	.50
Solid Gold —Brand new deep yellow self	6.00
Solid Mahogany —Magnificent solid dark red .....	.90
Song of Songs —Yellow standards with white falls edged yellow	1.50
Sonrisa —Delicate pink blend50
Spanish Fandango —Dazzling new variegata in red and yellow	4.50
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Sparkie —Exotic red and yellow variegata.....	6.00
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Spun Gold —A clean smooth yellow60
Stardom —Lovely onion-skin pink50
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Starless Night —Dark blackish purple with yellow beard50
Staten Island —Bright gold and red variegata	1.00
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Sultans Robe —Blended copper gold, rose and blue.....	.60
Summit —The new white and yellow amoena	1.50
Sunray —New yellow with ruffling & lovely form	1.00
Sunset Blaze —A huge golden salmon blend	1.50
Sunset Serenade —Blend of golden tan, apricot, buff and orange50
Swan Lake —Fine new crisp light blue	1.00
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Syringa —Clear lilac with golden reticulations.....	.50
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Tally Ho —Lovely flamingo pink fushia bitone	4.50
Tan Boy —Bright and ruffled bronze	1.50
Tango —Lovely flaring flower of blue	3.00
Tapestry Rose —Large flowers of soft old rose .....	.50
Tea Rose —Self of glowing copper pink .....	.50
Technicolor —Brilliant ruby red self with golden haft..	3.00
Temple Bells —Mr. Hall's finest golden apricot.....	9.00
The Admiral —Large flower of deep medium blue .....	.50
The Capitol —Clear crystalline white with golden throat .....	.75
The Red Douglas —Dykes Medal winning red .....	.50
The Sentinel —Lovely burnished copper .....	.50
Thomes III —Gigantic glistening golden tan	6.00
Three Cheers —Light blue-white standards, red-purple falls .....	.60
Three Oaks —Deep mellow pink overlaid with rosy copper.60
Tiffanja —Lovely yellow buff plicata50

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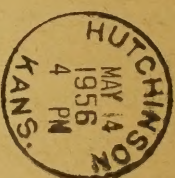
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